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Your program last evening of course delighted me, especially taking note of the fact that the "surfacing" of the Pentagon Papers was ~~not~~ not a betrayal of national secrets, but a necessary exposure, even if painful and embarrassing to elected officials, persisting in ignorance, an ignorance which involved mass murder - no less.

Therefore, I have to agree with Daniel in what he felt he had to do, and our hope must be that from this act our nation knows how to cope with bureaucracies in a government determined to "long endure" in a democratic form and process.

To bring the indictment to a trial may add to the embarrassment we all have, and will prove, and belater a pointless claim of "theft" - who is the victim, anyway?

Daniel Ellsberg need not be brought to trial.

Harry Ellsberg

P.S. Tell Mr. Miller that John 8:32 is also Daniel's theme.